

## OBJECT TO DANCE HALL OVER TRAFIERI'S SALOON

Fulton Saloon License Cases Occupy  
Attention of Trustees  
Court.

### MINISTERS ARE WITNESSES

Court Will Hear Seventh Street Cases  
To-Morrow—Criminal Docket in Call  
To-Day.

The criminal docket gave way to the contested liquor cases in the Hustings Court yesterday, and between 10 o'clock in the morning and 6:10 o'clock in the afternoon the court heard testimony for and against the renewal of licenses to three saloons on Louisiana Street. At the conclusion of the day's work Judge Richardson took the cases under advisement, announcing that to-day will be devoted to the criminal docket.

The morning session was devoted to the cases of Charles H. Russell and Tito Creswell, who conduct saloons, respectively, at 501 and 415 Louisiana Street. Rev. H. Frederick Jones and Rev. J. W. Euse, in charge of churches in the Fulton neighborhood, were the principal witnesses for the protesters objecting to the presence of the saloons, on the ground that the locality was residential in character and thickly populated with women and children.

In the case of Peter Traferi, which was heard at the afternoon session, the protesters introduced witnesses who told the court that the third floor of the saloon building has been used for public dances, some of which have attracted disreputable gatherings. The saloon is located at 215 Louisiana Street.

### ZIMMER DENIES THAT

DANCES WERE DISREPUTABLE

Attorney Harry M. Smith and Benjamin Lovenstein, counsel for Traferi, put on the stand Edward J. Zimmer, who indignantly denied the intimation that the dances held in the hall under consideration were attended by disreputable persons. Moreover, he said, the dances were neither public nor held for the purpose of making money, but were given once or twice a week by himself and A. I. Buckett as strictly neighborhood affairs, to which only acquaintances were admitted. A nominal dancing fee, he said, was collected in the room to pay the lighting and cleaning expenses.

Peter Traferi, owner of the saloon, told the court that he received no profit, either direct or indirect, from the dancing of the dances, and that the doors that give entrance from the hall to the saloon on the first floor were always kept locked. When notified by the police that he was committing an infraction in permitting the dances, he said, he saluted the police, he declined to permit the further use of the hall for that purpose.

Attorney Isaac Diggs, for the protesters, summing up the testimony submitted by the protesters, told the court that the holding of dances in the saloon building was a violation of the letter of the ordinance which prohibits such performances in connection with saloons. He did not deny the fact that Mr. Traferi was guilty of consciously violating the law, but thought that the irregularity should receive due weight with the other objections brought against the renewal of a license to the saloon.

### COURT WILL HEAR SEVENTH

STREET CASES TO-MORROW

Attorney Harry M. Smith quoted the language of the city ordinance, no reasonable interpretation of which, he said, could be made to apply to Mr. Traferi's case. There was an absolute separation, he said, between the saloon and the dance hall, and they could not be held as having been operated jointly for mutual profit. The dances, he pointed out, were private in their nature, and the dancers could not communicate with the bar except by descending two flights of stairs and entering the saloon from the outside.

The court will begin to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock its investigation into the applications for liquor licenses renewed on Seventh Street between Broad and Marshall Streets. Four establishments are affected—the Miller Liquor Company, Henry A. Kramer, Hadden & Gillo and Peter Bonini. The chief protesters are citizens of Highland Park, who object to the presence of the saloons near the Seventh and Broad Streets transfer point, where residents of this suburb wait for the Highland Park cars.

## CADETS WILL MARCH OVER FIELD OF FAMOUS BATTLE

Fiftieth Anniversary of New Market  
Campaign to Be Celebrated—Senator  
Faulkner Makes Address.

Details of the semi-centennial celebration of the battle of New Market, on Friday, May 15, in which the cadet corps of the Virginia Military Institute and the volunteer Confederate troops will participate, have been entirely worked out. The cadets left their barracks in Lexington on Friday on the long march to New Market over the route traversed fifty years ago by the famous New Market cadet corps on its way to the battle of New Market. The cadets camped at Harrisonburg on the site occupied by the corps of 1864 on the same date.

Former Attorney-General Samuel W. Williams and Senator Charles J. Faulkner of West Virginia, will be the chief guests of the day at New Market. Senator Faulkner, himself a survivor of the famous New Market corps of the institute, is the speaker for the cadets, while Judge Williams was selected by the Women's Memorial Society of New Market. Not only the survivors of the cadet corps of 1864, but veterans of the enlisted armies of the Confederacy which had a part in the New Market conflict will go to the scene of the battle on Friday to witness the exercises.

The board of visitors of the Virginia Military Institute is to join the corps in automobiles in the final stages of the march to New Market.

The part of the program arranged by the Institute officials calls for the following details: The corps will assemble under the commandant of cadets about 11 o'clock in the morning on the south side of Shirley's Hill, their first position in the battle fifty years ago. They will be led across Shirley's Hill on Bushong's Hill to the orchard by the commandant of cadets, who will explain to the corps, as well as to the "stragglers," composed largely of old men, the part taken by the cadets in battle and the operation of both Federal and Confederate troops. They will pass beyond the Bushong orchard up to the site of the artillery of the Federals, and probably some distance beyond. Senator Faulkner will deliver his address when the corps returns to the Bushong House.

The exercises to be conducted under the Women's Memorial Society will be prefaced by a parade from St. Matthew's Cemetery, beginning at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Woman Arrested for Theft.

Martha Gray, colored, was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Hooker on the charge of stealing a pair of shoes from Mary Carter.

## SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF MALCOLM LEE STRAUS

School Board Accepts New Springfield  
Building and Annex to  
Baker School.

### WILL RELIEVE CONGESTION

John Garland Pollard to Make Address  
to High School Graduates at Auditorium on June 15.

The acceptance of a scholarship in memory of Malcolm Lee Straus, the acceptance of the recently completed Springfield School and the addition to the Baker School, as well as the definite settlement of the dates upon which the various public school commencement will be held, composed the principal business done at the last meeting of the Richmond School Board.

Malcolm Lee Straus was one of the best known students who had attended the John Marshall High School, and his death, after he had become a student at Richmond College and following a long illness, was a shock to hundreds of students and teachers in Richmond. In his memory his father, Charles Straus, offered a scholarship to Richmond College, to the scholar of the John Marshall High School, of good character and class standing and lacking the means to attend the institution of higher learning. The board accepted the offer of Mr. Straus, and the scholarship will be open for competition at the high school next year.

The board accepted as completed the new Springfield School, at Twenty-sixth and Leigh Streets. Furniture for the new school has been ordered, and it will be ready for occupancy early in September. The building is three stories in height, the basement and walls of the first floor being of concrete, the remainder of the exterior walls being of rubble work.

Open-air schoolrooms on the roof will be a feature. The building is fireproof in every way, and was erected at a cost of \$30,400.

An addition to Baker School, costing \$15,000, was approved by the board. This addition is to be two stories high and built after the style of the present building.

Improvements in the school facilities of Richmond are progressing along the lines planned several years ago, and it is predicted that with the steady appropriation of several hundred thousands of dollars each year, the system of this city will soon be as complete and as modern as any in this country. During the last three years the progress has been rapid, and decided improvement has been made throughout the city. Madison, Cary, Bellevue, Fox and Springfield schools have all been erected and many additions and improvements made on old buildings. In South Richmond efforts are already being made to acquire land for the construction of a more modern school building there, and it is probable that the next building to be authorized will be located in that section of the city.

The commencement exercises of the John Marshall High School are to be held in the City Auditorium on the evening of June 15. John Garland Pollard, Attorney-General of Virginia, has accepted an invitation to speak at the commencement.

Armstrong High School, colored, will hold its commencement exercises in the auditorium June 16, and the Richmond City Normal School will hold its commencement in the auditorium of the William Fox School June 12. Dr. George B. Strayer, of Columbia University, has accepted the invitation to make the address to the graduates.

## NO QUORUM OF ALDERMEN

Docket of Financial Matters Goes Over  
to Next Monday Night.

The May Festival of the Wednesday Club cut into the attendance at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night, and the bare majority that answered the roll call voted, after the reading of the minutes, to adjourn until 8 o'clock next Monday night. The docket contained several financial matters requiring their passage a majority of which was present, and the members decided to defer their consideration until Monday night, when a full attendance is expected. Among the members on hand last night was Alderman Perdue, who has been kept away from the sessions by illness for almost a year.

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State Cuyler Lime Board May Establish  
State Quarry on Grounds of  
School for Deaf and Blind.

If first reports are found upon examinations to be correct, the State Lime-Grinding Commission will not be put to the expense of purchasing the site for the State lime-grinding plant and the necessary rock deposit. The commission recently learned of the discovery on State property, near Staunton, of a rich deposit of limestone, and a committee of the commission is now on the scene making a thorough and scientific examination of the property.

The return of the committee, which is headed by State Commissioner of Agriculture G. W. Kolner, is eagerly awaited by Governor Stuart. For, should the property prove to be all that has been said of it, the commission will be many thousands dollars in pocket by having a stone quarry ready in its possession. For months the commission has been inspecting rock deposits offered for sale as sites for the lime-grinding plant.

The property in question is that on which is situated the Virginia School for the Deaf and Blind, at Staunton. The school owns a considerable amount of land in its premises, and the deposit of lime stone has been found in one section. It is adjacent to the railway and easily mined, thus solving two of the problems which have confronted the commission in its consideration of all available property.

Commissioner Kolner was accompanied on his trip to Staunton by Major J. B. Wood, superintendent of the State Penitentiary, and J. B. Vine, the newly elected superintendent of the State Lime-grinding plant. It is expected that should they return with a favorable report, the Governor, who is the only other member of the commission, will make a trip to the scene in company with the committee and personally inspect the situation.

The favorable report, the Governor, who is the only other member of the commission, yesterday signed the contract for machinery for the plant, which had been agreed upon recently with the Smith-Courtney Company, of Richmond.

## SCHOOL OF METHODS

Experts Speak at Training Institute  
for Bible Teachers.

The Virginia School of Methods, which is being held at the Second Street Christian Church, under the auspices of the Bible School Department of the American Christian Missionary Society, yesterday recorded two enthusiastic sessions. An excellent attendance is reported at each meeting, and the classes are attracting considerable interest.

The program for to-day is one of the most pretentious which has been scheduled. Guy L. Carter will continue his talks upon "The Presentation of the Lesson" at the afternoon session, while Miss Hazel A. Lewis has chosen for her subject "Special Missionary Methods." and will talk upon the same theme. "The United Program," the theme of the afternoon session, will be conducted by H. C. MacLachlan, D. D., will conduct the Bible class at the night meeting. Miss Lewis will talk upon "The Theme of Story-Telling," and Mr. Clarke will give the students some pointers on "Training."

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Governor and Superintendent Stearnes  
Confer on Proposed Celebration of  
Co-Operative Association Anniversary.

Stearns have been in conference over the approaching convention of Virginia educational leaders in Richmond this month, and the general call for the meeting will in all probability be issued by the Governor this week. The request for this gathering of persons interested in the educational development of the State, at which the progress of the last decade is to be reviewed and plans for the next decade laid, was made recently by the State Co-Operative Education Association, which has played such a prominent part in the educational work of Virginia.

At this conference, which is to be held in the hall of the House of Delegates, the Virginia educational workers will map out the lines for an aggressive campaign against illiteracy in Virginia. Incidentally the meeting will serve to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the founding of the State Co-Operative Education Association. Some recognition of the conspicuous part played by this organization in the educational movement of the last ten years is eminently fitting in the opinion of the leading officials of the State.

The conference will be called in pursuance of the following resolutions adopted at the recent meeting of the executive committee of the association: "The Co-Operative Education Association respectfully requests the Governor of Virginia and the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to call in the hall of the House of Delegates a working conference of representative friends of education in this State, consisting of about 100 members, for the purpose of reviewing the educational advance which Virginia has made during the decade since the first conference of this kind was held, and for mapping out a program of progress for the future in accordance with the resources and needs of the State."

While the date for the meeting has not been definitely chosen, it is expected that it will be set in the Governor's call for the last week of this month.

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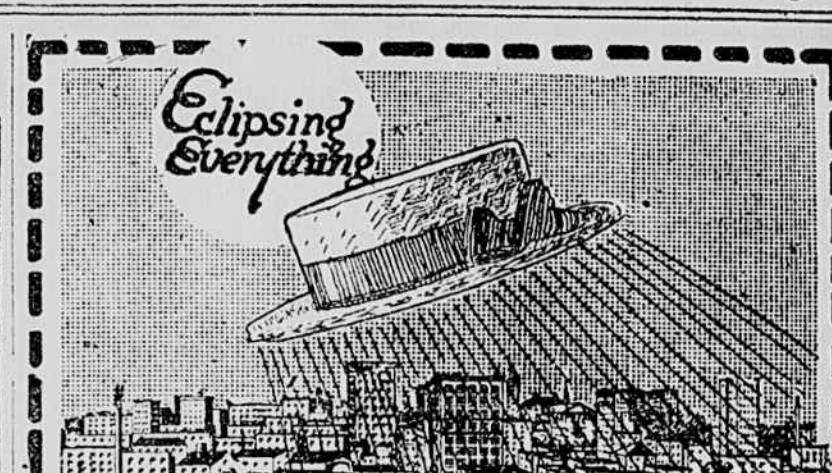
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